

Stern Bros.

To-Morrow, Tuesday
will make a special offering of
1000
Summer Silkoline
Comfortables

with 3-inch
ruffles, designs
and colorings
entirely new, at
\$1.98
Regular price \$2.75.

And in addition
5000 Yards
Striped Tennis
and Sea Side
Flannels

very choice
effects, at
29c
Former price 50c.

West 23d St.

DIXON TAKES SKELLY'S PLACE.

The Colored Champion Spars Sid-
dons Twelve Rounds To-Night.

The C. I. A. C. Also Offers a Heavy-
Weight Contest.

Although Jack Skelly, by reason of ill-
ness, is unable to meet George Siddons
for a \$200 purse in the Conely Island
Athletic Club to-night, the Club has
luckily secured a far better drawing
card in George Dixon, the famous hard-
hitting colored boxer, who claims the
feather-weight championship of the
world.



GEORGE SIDDONS.

The Club increased the amount of the
purse to \$200, of which the loser will
get \$50, and decreased the number of
rounds from forty, to which Skelly and
Siddons were limited, to twelve.
But those dozen rounds will be poems
in pugilism. Dixon is in pretty fair
condition to put up a hurricane contest
for twelve rounds, and there is not the
slightest doubt that the great little
ebony-jued prodigy will do his famous
name justice.

Despite the advantage which Siddons
will have over the sable boxer, as re-
gards condition, Dixon is a con-
fident that he will have very little trouble
in lowering the colors of the New Or-
leans pugilist.

In agreeing to meet Siddons in an
short a time, Dixon has earned the good
will of the sporting public, and it re-
flects credit upon him. He has con-
ceded everything to the managers of
Siddons in order not to disappoint the
astrons of the Conely Island Club, and
the latter can rest assured of witnessing
a great struggle.

The odds are nearly of the same
height and clean, hard hitters. They
are eager to the core, and only a deadly
tap on the point of the jaw will put
either man into a trance.

Dixon and Siddons will weigh in at 3
o'clock this afternoon.

The preliminary bout of the evening
will be between that gallant Aus-
tralian, Billy McCarthy, and Jack
McGee, the sprightly young man from
Boston who has, up to the present, suc-
cessfully met all comers. The boys
will fight at the middle-weight limit.

SILKS AND VELVETS

Are the reigning fabrics
this season. The newest
and best can be seen by
visiting our Retail De-
partment. The assort-
ments are too varied to
make descriptive particu-
lars practicable.

We are daily adding ex-
clusive lines, suited in
widths and designs, for
the prevailing style of
Gowns.

In Our India and China
Silk Department are many
Novelties that will not be
duplicated.

IN THE BASEMENT

We have added many use-
ful lines in Taffeta Glaces,
Figured Tussahs, Wash-
able Silks, in Twills and
Habutais; Figured India
and China Silk, from 50
cents to 90 cents per yard,
beautiful style. Light and
dark grounds, Woven fig-
ured Crepes, Pongees, &c.

JAMES McCREERY & Co.
Broadway and 11th St.

Special Linen Sales

ON ACCOUNT OF
REMOVAL

We call attention to the following values which we are now offering

TABLE LINEN by the yard at 85c., \$1.00, \$1.25,
\$1.50 and \$1.75.

Reduced from \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75 and \$2.00.

NAPKINS, 1/2 size, at \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50
and \$4.00 per Doz.

Reduced from \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50, \$4.00 and \$5.00.

1/4 size at \$2.50, \$3.00, \$4.50, \$5.25 and
\$6.00 per Doz.

Reduced from \$2.75, \$4.00, \$5.00, \$6.00 and \$7.50.

TABLE CLOTHS, 2x3 yds. at \$2.50, \$3.25, \$3.75,
\$5.00 and \$6.50.

Reduced from \$3.00, \$3.75, \$4.50, \$6.00 and \$8.50.

Sizes 2x2, 2x2 1/2, 2x3 1/2, 2x4, 2 1/2 x 2 1/2, 2 1/2 x 3, 2 1/2 x 3 1/2, 3 1/2 x 4

AT CORRESPONDING REDUCTIONS.

HEMSTITCHED SHEETS, double-bed size, at \$4.00
and \$5.00 per pair.

Reduced from \$5.00 and \$6.00.

HEMSTITCHED PILLOW CASES at \$1.00 and \$1.25
per pair.

HUCKABACK and DAMASK TOWELS, with tied fringe
at \$3.00 per Doz.

Formerly at \$3.50, \$4.50, \$5.00 and \$6.00.

A Lot of Heavy All-Wool Blankets, 11-4 x 12-4 sizes, at
\$5.00 per pair.

Originally sold at \$6.50 and \$7.50.

A LOT OF DOWN COMFORTABLES,
Sateen and Silk Covered,
At Largely Reduced Prices.

James McCutcheon & Co.,
The Linen Store, 64 W. 23d Street.

158 pounds and as both are as strong
and like aspers, and as game as the
traditional pugilist, a splendid struggle
may be confidently expected.



GEORGE DIXON.

The contest is limited to ten rounds,
but with two such hurricane fighters it
may be looked upon as a battle to the
finish. Both are fast and furious in ac-
tion, and a decision will certainly be
reached before the going makes the limi-
tation of the tenth round.

All the five-dollar box seats have been
sold, and all that remain now are the
12 and 15 seats which Press Agent Eick-
hard sold at his office, 38 Centre
street. Here is a timetable that will be
of value to those contemplating a
visit to the island to-night.

Trains via Long Island Railroad from
foot of East Thirty-fourth street, East
7:30, Long Island City, 7:30, 7:30, 7:30.
Long Island City trains stop at East
7:30, Long Island City, 7:30, 7:30, 7:30.
Trains connecting with special train
via Culver route will leave foot of
Whitehall street, New York, 6:30, 6:30,
7:30 P. M.

Trains from Brooklyn leave
Ninth avenue and Twelfth street hourly un-
til 6 P. M., and half-hourly thereafter
to 9 P. M.

Trains via Union Depot, Fifth avenue and
Thirty-sixth street, terminus of Fifth
avenue Elevated Railroad, from Brook-
lyn Bridge, hourly, until 6:30 P. M., and
half-hourly thereafter to 8:30 P. M., and
St. P. M. Special train on all the
above routes leave Culver Depot, Conely
Island, immediately after the contest.

GILROY AND RAPID TRANSIT.

**The Mayor Opposed to All Pending
Bills in the Legislature.**

Mayor Gilroy said today that he would not
go to Albany to-morrow to attend the hear-
ing on the Ellison, Farquhar and Brown
Rapid Transit bills. He will be represented
by Assistant Corporation Counsel Blauvelt.

The Mayor said he was opposed to all the
pending bills, but he would not say what
kind of a rapid transit plan he would favor.
He would be manifestly in favor, he thought,
to express his opinion at this time, because
he would have to pass finally and officially
upon the bill to the city, and only a deadly
tap on the point of the jaw will put
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FATHER TRACY LOSING GROUND.

Many Parishioners Attend the Ser-
vices Conducted by Father Leahy.

LAWYER STERN'S \$14,000.

The Courts Decide that the City
Will Have to Pay It.

The City will have to pay Lawyer Stern
\$14,000 for attorney fees, Mr. Stern
was retained as special counsel by Cor-
poration Counsel Blauvelt to prosecute the
suit of the city against the Trans Hudson
and other banks to recover interest on city
deposits.

Mr. Stern succeeded in recovering several
hundred thousand dollars for the city. The
city was no appropriation out of which he could
be paid and he began suit.

The courts have decided in his favor, and
he will be paid out of the judgment fund.

A Jack Tar Refused His Chance.

Early this morning John Wall, a sailor on
the cutter Philadelphia, while on shore
leave, entered the saloon of the
Victoria, 101 other street. He gave a \$10
bill to the waiter for drinks, and when he
asked for the change he says he was beaten.
His bill was handed to him as he appeared at
the bar, and he said: "I am sorry, but I
cannot give you the change. The waiter
has taken it." The waiter, who was a
sailor, said: "I am sorry, but I cannot
give you the change. The waiter has taken
it." The waiter, who was a sailor, said:
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change. The waiter has taken it."

Alleged Poisoner Remanded.

Anthony Tosti, an Italian, was arraigned
in the Tombs court this morning by Detective
Carter, on a charge of attempting to poison
Paco Metro at 45 other street, on March 3.
It is charged that he put rat poison in
baking milk and that Metro and his son drank it.
Tosti was remanded until to-morrow when
Dr. Shaub, of 61 Oliver street, will testify
to his having treated Metro for poisoning. A
package of the poison was found in Tosti's
room the day he ran away.

Bloomingdale's

5th Ave. Corner 59th St.

Opening

Tuesday,
Wednesday,
Thursday,

March 21, 22, 23.

DRESS GOODS.

Tuesday morning we place on
sale:

Hop Sackings in two-toned ef-
fects in a very choice line of color-
ings; an excellent quality 40-inch
Imperial Serge in the newest
shades of green, rose, emerald, &c.; also a fine 40-inch silk finish
Henrietta in 40 of the latest Spring
shades, all at

69c.

The above will be found well
worthy of inspection. They not
only comprise the most recent
effects, but are offered at a special
price, very much below real value.

Bloomingdale Bros.,
Third Ave., Cor. 59th St.

A VICTIM OF RIVER PIRATES.

Second Mate Trenkert Claims to
Have Been Twice Robbed.

The Greenpoint police are to-day in-
vestigating the story of Second Mate
Andrew Trenkert, of the Greenpoint
port, who claims to have been robbed by
two different gangs of thieves, who
boarded the vessel from boats.

The Cornet lies at the foot of Freeman
street, and about 11 o'clock Saturday
night Trenkert, who was sleeping and
alone on the vessel, heard the com-
pensation, leading to the cabin in
which he slept, broken in, and the
next moment two men with dark lan-
terns and revolvers appeared.

Trenkert had only a few nickels, and
the thieves took these and an overcoat.
After warning him to keep quiet, the
men went away, while Trenkert, with a
sick of relief, repaired the hatch and
went to sleep again.

The unfortunate sailor had hardly got
well into the land of dreams when the
hatchway was again broken open, and
four thieves entered. As Trenkert's
money and overcoat were already gone,
the later thieves took his other cloth-
ing, and after warning him to keep
quiet, went away.

Trenkert, who had nothing left but the
bedclothes, sat up the rest of the night.
Last night Trenkert called on the
Greenpoint police station-house, and
in some old clothes he had found, and
reported the case. The police are in-
vestigating, but think that Trenkert is
romancing.

YOUNG KILLEEN REMANDED.

Turbidly Dared Him to Shoot and Is
in the Hospital.

Charles J. Killeen, of 47 Henwick street,
the fifteen-year-old boy who last night shot
fourteen-year-old Patrick Turbidity, the
reputed leader of the "soap bang" gang, was
remanded this morning by Justice Yerkes in
the Jefferson Market court until to-morrow
morning to await the result of Turbidity's
injuries.

Turbidity is at St. Vincent's Hospital. The
bullet which hit him is in no im-
mediate danger.

The shooting was the result of an attack
made by Turbidity on Killeen, who was
three companions who were gathered in a
front basement room at 48 Henwick street.
Young Turbidity, with two scores of kindred
spirits, noticed Killeen's party, and began
throwing stones and other missiles into the
room, breaking windows, the glass of which
hit some of the boys in the room.

Young Killeen ran out and chased the
little rascals away. An hour later, however,
they returned to the assault, when Killeen
charged into the room and placed his hand upon his hip.
"Shoot, if you've got the grit to," he
said.

At that moment there was a report, and
Turbidity fell to the sidewalk, wounded in
the groin, the bullet having passed through
the abdomen.

ANNIE MAKES A SCENE IN COURT.

Frederick Ward, Jr., Charges Her
with Having Rifled His Pockets.

Annie Kelly, twenty-one years old, of 12
Varick street, was arraigned to-day in
Justice Yerkes' court at Jefferson Market
court, charged by Frederick Ward, Jr., of 320
West street, with having stolen his gold
watch and chain, a pair of suspenders and 25
cents in cash.

Annie was somewhat under the influence of
liquor and she thought him for awhile in
the court-room.

"He lies, you hear!" she shrieked. "He's
a liar and I can prove it."
"You're excited," suggested the Hon-
orable Justice. "Am I? I wish I had him on
the street for about a day, and then I'd
start at him and shake him out."

She was placed under \$500 bail for ex-
amination to-morrow, and was led away cursing
and hawking against the justice and Ward.

COMPTROLLER MYERS'S CLERKS.

Changes in the Salaries and in the
Assignment of the Men.

Comptroller Myers has made the fol-
lowing changes in salaries of clerks in
his department:

Charles Fowler, interest clerk in the
Bureau of Collection of Taxes, to be a
bill clerk at \$1,500 a year.

Charles A. Brainerd, Chief Bill Clerk
in the Bureau of Collection of Taxes,
salary increased from \$1,200 to \$1,300.

David J. Van Winkle, Paymaster's
clerk, salary increased from \$1,500 to
\$1,600.

Lawrence Langan, messenger in the
Bureau of Collection of Assessments,
salary increased from \$1,000 to \$1,100.

William L. Mott, recording clerk in
Bureau for Collection of Assessments,
salary increased from \$1,200 to \$1,300.

Rheumatic Heir to a Small Fortune.

Central street, aged four years, was
confining in the Kings County Hospital
for eight months as a chronic rheumatic,
received word a few days ago that his father
in Bremen had left him several thousand dol-
lars. He immediately left the hospital to-day.

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45 West 14th st.

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FURNITURE
AND CARPETS.

TO CELEBRATE OUR OPENING WE WILL
OFFER THIS UNQUALIFIED BARGAIN.

**A 6 feet Oak
Extension
Table, with 3
Extra Leaves,
and 6 Oak
Dining Chairs**

ALL FOR
\$6.50

WE SHALL EXTEND TO OUR CUSTOMERS
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J. Lewin & Co.

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Kennedy & Corlandt

Hats, Shoes, Men's Fur-
nishings.

For the past two months we've sold
more shirts than all the shops downtown
put together. You would not wonder if
you saw the shirts and prices.

Dress Shirts at 95c.

Workmanship and material of the very best
quality, because of hemstitched linen, im-
ported from France, and hand finished
throughout, real value \$1.50 to \$2.00 each.

Dress Shirts at 65c.

Broken lots of the Standard shirt, fine P.
K. and plain men's buttons, real value \$1.25
to \$1.50 each.

BATH ROBE AT \$1.00; WORTH \$1.50.

NIGHT SHIRTS, 40c.

Worth \$1.00. Made of N. Y. Mills
muslin, lined seams and gussets.

Men's Spring Hats.

Natty Derbys,
Elegant Alpines,
Stylish Silk Hats.
Anything that
fashion and good
sense call for.

Stylish Derby, black or brown, \$1.30
Alpine, black, brown, or gray, \$1.50
Silk, \$2.00 to \$2.50.

Men's Shoes.

French Patent Leather Bluchers and Pic-
cadillys, \$4.50 pair, \$3.00 all over town
at \$2.00.
Men's Shoes, Domestic, \$4.00.
Well made, at \$2.75.
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WONDERFUL MOSAIC KIOSK.

A Work of Eastern Ingenuity on the
Way to the World's Fair.

Bretton Kendall Helweg, the famous oriental
decorator, who has just arrived from Paris on
his way to Chicago, called this morning on N. J.
Arbuckle, proprietor of Kaweah America.
New York's greatest paper.

Helweg brought over forty large
boxes, containing the parts of a wonderful
work which is to be displayed at the World's
Fair. It is to represent the luxurious splen-
dor of a room of an Eastern Sultan. It is
made of 200,000 pieces of mosaic and took
ten years of Helweg's life to make.
It is the crown of Helweg's life to make.
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ACOLD DAY

Yes, even in the Middle of Sum-
mer with the 6th Ave. Baumann's
Latest Prize.

An Upright Hardwood Refrig-
erator for an unheard-of price—
\$6.75.

**This is Now York's Most
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For everything in Furniture, Carpets,
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Cabinets, Chiffoniers, Etc., Call Goods,
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Refrigerators, Ranges, Stoves, Sewing
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ONLY 10 PER CENT. CASH DOWN.

10c. weekly or \$2.00 monthly on \$20.00.
15c. weekly or \$2.25 monthly on \$25.00.
20c. weekly or \$2.50 monthly on \$30.00.
25c. weekly or \$2.75 monthly on \$35.00.
30c. weekly or \$3.00 monthly on \$40.00.
35c. weekly or \$3.25 monthly on \$45.00.
40c. weekly or \$3.50 monthly on \$50.00.
45c. weekly or \$3.75 monthly on \$55.00.
50c. weekly or \$4.00 monthly on \$60.00.
55c. weekly or \$4.25 monthly on \$65.00.
60c. weekly or \$4.50 monthly on \$70.00.
65c. weekly or \$4.75 monthly on \$75.00.
70c. weekly or \$5.00 monthly on \$80.00.
75c. weekly or \$5.25 monthly on \$85.00.
80c. weekly or \$5.50 monthly on \$90.00.
85c. weekly or \$5.75 monthly on \$95.00.
90c. weekly or \$6.00 monthly on \$100.00.

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Send a Lock of Your Hair
and we will separate it to its original color and
desired color and return it free.
L. S. BARNES, 310 5th Avenue.

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portations of French Hats
and Bonnets, together
with the productions of
our own workrooms, and
cordially invite your in-
spection of same.

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